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To: Date: Alex Murray; Amy Cubbage; Donald Carlson; Howard Faulkner; Undine Shoop

Wed, Oct 31, 2001 8:40 AM

Subject:

Re: Fwd: Book 'AVR-Experimental High-Temperature-Reactor'

Howard:

It is my understanding that the delegation to the FRG in July had indicated to our hosts that the NRC would like to obtain a copy of the initial AVR lessons learned report as well as the final lessons learned report which was published about 1997 or 1998. If the incoming offer from Dr. Marnet of AVR-Julich is the means by which we will obtain the initial report I would suggest that you ask for three copies of the report if it is in German as you suspect. Two of these copies will need to be sent to the Victoria Voytco. ADM/DAS/RDB with a request for translation to English. The third copy is for safekeeping in case the first two get misplaced. (Send the three copies to me when they are received or ask Dr. Marnet to send the copies to me directly so I can request the translation.)

It is requested that you take the lead in getting the three copies of the 1990 edition from Dr. Marnet on behalf of the delegation and the NRC. We can translate the report if it is in German and/or then make copies for you and all who are participating in the PBMR and GT-MHR reviews. This effort is already underway for the key foreign language documents that we have obtained so far that will require translation and distribution to cognizant staff.

I would also like for you to ask Dr. Marnet if the final lessons learned report could also be made available. If so, three copies of this report should also be requested on behalf of the NRC and sent to you or me for translation.

I suggest that you cancel your earlier guidance to the staff, especially if you find out that the report is in German.

Please keep me informed.

Thanks.

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>>> Howard Faulkner 10/30/01 11:52AM >>>

I am forwarding this e-mail offer from Dr. Marnet of AVR-Julich. I assume the text is in German. Please reply directly if you would like a copy.

Howard

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Tue, Oct 30, 2001 10:00 AM

Subject:

Book 'AVR-Experimental High-Temperature-Reactor'

Dear Sirs, Colleagues, Friends of HTGR,

Because of the new and still growing wordwide interest in the HTGR we are considering a limited (order of 50) re-edition of our book

AVR-Experimental High-Temperature Reactor, VDI-Verlag 1990

summarizing the lessons from 21 years of AVR test operation.

However, before placing an according order to the editor we would like to get an overview of the possible demand. We politely ask you to check if this book is already in your personal possession or, where appropriate, part of the internal archives, library etc. of your institution/company, and if a new copy could favourably serve your works.

Note: The new books will not be a revised edition but just a multiplication of the existing and they would be sent cost-free.

Please let us know soon - at best before Nov. 9th, 2001 - and indicate your mailing address please.

Thank you.

Best Regards,

Peter Pohl

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